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That Demonstration Train

The Bureau of Immigration, the Agricultural Experiment station and the Santa Fe system are anxious that as many farmers as possible visit the demonstration train that will make stops at all important points on the Santa Fe system this month.

Professor J. D. Tinsley, agricultural demonstrator of the Santa Fe system says:

"We are putting considerable time and money on the train and think that it will be of great value to the individual farmer as well as a valuable means of advertising the agricultural possibilities of our new state, provided we can get the people to visit the train and can give necessary publicity to the movement."

"Allow me to urge upon you the importance of keeping this train before the people and urging them to visit the train at the most convenient point."

"We are especially anxious that the people back from the railroad should come in to the train. We will try to make the talks plain and practical. The various lines of agriculture, horticulture, livestock and irrigation will be represented by enough men so that the farmers may have a chance to discuss matters with them; we will have special talks for the children as we want to make this the beginning of a special campaign to interest the young people in agriculture. The exhibits alone will well repay a long trip to see them."

Strong Force Of Experts Will Accompany The Demonstration Train.

Albuquerque, N. M.,—Prof. J. D. Tinsley, Agricultural Demonstrator of all arrangements for the big Agricultural Demonstration train which the Santa Fe will operate to all points on its lines in New Mexico starting January 11th. The equipment has been assembled in the Santa Fe Shops at Albuquerque and is ready for the trip. The six cars are thoroughly lighted so as to make a night meeting by steam so that the weather be no obstacle to the demonstration.

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are urged to be present promptly as the lectures and demonstration will begin immediately upon arrival of the train. Assisting Prof. Tinsley, who will have charge of the operation of the train will be a strong corps of experts in all lines of agricultural and live-stock growing, including:

Prof. Luther Foster, Director, New Mexico Experiment Station, Prof. W. C. Conway, in charge of the Agricultural College experiment work, who, on this trip will give particular attention to the meeting of children, which is to be made a special feature at every stop.

F. L. Bixby, Irrigation Engineer, H. H. Simpson, Professor of Animal Husbandry, Prof. Fabian Garcia, Horticulturist, Prof. E. P. Humbert, Agriculturist, Instructors J. W. Knorr and I. E. Mabie, Assistant Agriculturists, H. C. McCowar, Assistant Agricultural Demonstrator on the Santa Fe.

H. D. Henning, Secretary, New Mexico Bureau of Immigration. Reports received during the past week show the keenest interest to be manifest in the train throughout the state. In all the towns where there are commercial clubs these organizations are seeing to it that the people are notified of the arrival of the train, and urged to be present.

The Santa Fe railroad is incurring large expense in operating the train and the Agricultural College is going to considerable effort and expense so that the equipment may be complete and as effective as possible. The train is one most effective efforts that has been made for bettering farming in New Mexico and the hearty cooperation of the people of the state. Remember the date of the arrival and be there when the train pulls in.

End of Quail Season.

With the end of 1911 the season in which quail might be killed also expired and like-wise all the hunting license. This year hunters of Curry county will get their licenses from Capt. Blumlein who has been recently appointed instead of J. H. Croft who resigned. The nimrods of Clovis several days before the season expired became no respecter of lands on which birds might be found or persons who owned such lands and in their eager lust for the coveted bird invaded the premises of several of the farmers living south of town destroying their entire beavies which they had carefully guarded against hawks and had fed from the hand throughout the year. The minimum fine imposed for killing quail on private land is \$10. for each bird. The offender is also liable for imprisonment.

Cut-Off Is Incorporated

To the Dodge City and Cimarron Valley railroad, which is, in reality, the Santa Fe's new Col-mor cut-off, was issued a charter Saturday in Topeka, Kansas.

The new line will have nearly 200 miles in Kansas. It is purely an Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe company, the officers of the Santa Fe owning all the stock. The capital is \$3,000,000, and E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe, owns 39,934



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shares. C. W. Kouna, F. C. Fox, W. R. Smith, E. L. Cope-land, A. W. Wellman and J. F. Scott, all general officers of the Santa Fe, own one share each.

The company will build the line from Dodge City southwest to Colmar and a branch line northwest from Haskell county to the west line of the state. The main line is 120 miles long and will run through Ford, Gray, Haskell, Grant, Stephens and Morton counties, Kansas. The branch line starts near the southeast corner of Haskell county and runs northwest through Haskell, Grant, and Stevens counties.

Growing

Many of our readers know that in the last two or three years the gain in the population of Clovis has been nearly three thousand. This is very gratifying and our citizens should feel a pride in the fact of our city's attractions to those in other places far be it known that no other town or city in the state has had such an increase in population to show for the same space of time.

When you see professional men entering upon the practice of their vocations in a city already supplied with talent, it is evidence of growth and the need of professional service.

Among the most recent additions to our colony of professional men is Dr. R. R. Duncan, a dentist of ability, who comes to us with credentials of the very best kind. Dr. Duncan's office is over Jernigan's jewelry store opposite the post office. We need only to say that if the gentleman's patronage equals his right to merit it, he will have more than he can attend to.

Used Dynamite to Dig Drain Ditches.

Dexter, N. M., December 30. A demonstration in the use of dynamite in digging drain ditches, subsoiling, etc., will occur about the middle of next month. Rolland Harwell the Du Pont powder expert who has been located in Roswell some time was down in Dexter yesterday accompanied by C. G. Manning, and the Government Drainage Engineer Sydney W. Cooper.

Mr. Harwell decided to give a demonstration here upon his return from the New Mexico Agricultural College, at Mesilla Park where he goes to attend the farmers' week at this school. The exact date of the demonstration will be announced later.

The party visited the Lawing place west of town where some drainage work is now being done by hand. The place for the demonstration will be on this farm probably both for subsoiling and ditch digging.

McNabb Admitted to Bail

Judge John R. McFie today admitted E. G. McNabb to bond the sum being set at \$10,000. McNabb, a traveling salesman, in a fit of jealous frenzy, shot down and killed Herb Hargus at Vaughan, Guadalupe county, and has been sentenced to hang for his deed. (The Territorial Supreme Court on appeal, reversed and remanded the case for new trial.

Notice to Homesteaders.

Compare your proof notice with your papers. Look them over each week, as type sometimes drops out. We're careful as we can be, but four eyes are better than two. Of course the serial number will be new, you must trust us for that.

Work will start as soon as the weather permits the building of the Episcopal church. It will be very artistic in its structure and it will be quite a credit to the town.

Bankrupt's Petition For Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States for the Fifth District of New Mexico.

In the matter of Harry A. Armstrong, Bankrupt.

No. 218 is Bankruptcy. To the Honorable William H. Pope, Judge of the district court of the United States, for the Fifth District of New Mexico.

Harry A. Armstrong, of Clovis, in the county of Curry, Territory of New Mexico in said district respectfully represents that on the sixth day of January, 1911 last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the order of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore, he prays, that he may be decreed by the court to have full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 5th day of December A. D. 1911.

(Signed) Harry A. Armstrong, Debtor.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON. Fifth District of New Mexico ss.

On this twenty sixth day of December 1911, on reading the foregoing petition it is Ordered by the Court That a hearing be had upon the same on the first day of February, A. D. 1912 before said court at Roswell in said district at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice thereof be published in The Clovis News, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show causes, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, That the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order addressed to them at their places of residence, as stated.

(Signed) Wm. H. Pope, Judge Fifth Judicial District.

United States of America ss. Territory of New Mexico ss. Fifth Judicial District.

I, S. I. Roberts, Clerk of the District Court of the United States within and for the Fifth Judicial District of New Mexico,

do hereby certify that the above and foregoing are full, true and complete copies of the PETITION FOR DISCHARGE and the ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON, in case No. 218 on the civil docket of said court, in the matter of Harry A. Armstrong, bankrupt, as shown from the files and record of my said office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the said of said Court, at Roswell, in said district, on this December 26th A. D. 1911.

S. I. ROBERTS, Clerk of said Court.

(Seal of said Court)

Notice of Sale

Notice is hereby given, that on the 9th day of February, 1912, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., at the south door of Court House in the City of Clovis in the County of Curry, Territory of New Mexico, C. Spicer, duly appointed Special Master, will offer and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, tracts or parcels of real estate with all the improvements on, and described as follows:

Bounded by, Lot No. 7 and running with the alley north, to a point with ten feet of the north east corner of Lot No. 8, thence west on a straight line fifty feet, and then point thence south in a straight line to the street, and thence east with the street to the point of beginning, containing a part of Lots numbered Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Seventy-five (75), the original Town of Clovis, Curry County, New Mexico, as shown on the official plat of said Town.

Said real estate and premises to be sold under and in virtue of a Judgment rendered in the District Court of said County and Territory on the 30th day of October 1911, in favor of J. L. Litchfield as Plaintiff and against Robt H. Pope, as Defendant, for the sum of \$151.89 including costs and attorney's fees, and the foreclosure of a mortgage on the above described real estate and premises, and said real estate sold subject to law to satisfy said debt and costs. Witness my hand and this 13th day of December, 1911.

C. S. ROBERTS, Special Master.

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